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MEMORANDUM FOR: Deputy to the DCI for National Intelligence

FROM : Deputy to the DCI for Resource Management

SUBJECT : Quality of Intelligence Analysis

In forwarding a report on quality of intelligence analysis initiatives to the Senate Select Committee on Intelligence the DCI indicated that his staff would "prepare a comprehensive five-year program, as an element of the Calendar Year 1978 program development cycle, to further strengthen the quality of analytical products." It is my understanding that NFAC will take the initiative in developing such a plan for the Community. My staff is prepared to provide assistance, as appropriate, to this important effort and will review the program developed for resource management related issues. Of concern is that during the FY 1979 budget review the Congress eliminated, for reasons of inadequate justification, a significant number of the proposed programs designed to improve the quality of analysis.

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Colonel Jack C. Burton Headquarters Air Force Intelligence Service Department of the Air Force Fort Belvoir, Virginia 22060

Dear Colonel Burton:

Thank you for your letter of April 19. I was pleased to receive such a glowing report on the recent Air War College Seminar at Bolling Air Force Base, and you can be sure I will pass along your words of appreciation to him.

I believe that members of this staff are in a unique position to explain and comment on the recent reorganization of the Intelligence Community, and I am personally gratified that you found address to be so informative.

Again, thank you.

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